# STARRY NIGHTS

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Buffalo played an integral role in the ecological and cultural history of the United States, but for a long time, herds across the country were dwindling in size and number. Shelby Farms Park was proud to welcome its first buffalo in 1989 as part of national conservation to help restore the once thriving buffalo populations. Buffalo have called the Park home ever since, living their best buffa-life on their own 50-acre range that is full of native grass, trees and sunny fields.

Our approximately 15-head herd consumes 50,000 pounds of hay and supplemental feed each year, and they can drink up to 30 gallons of water per day. Park Rangers dedicate around 1,000 hours to caring for the buffalo each year and periodically bring veterinarians to the Park to make sure the herd stays in tip-top shape.

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